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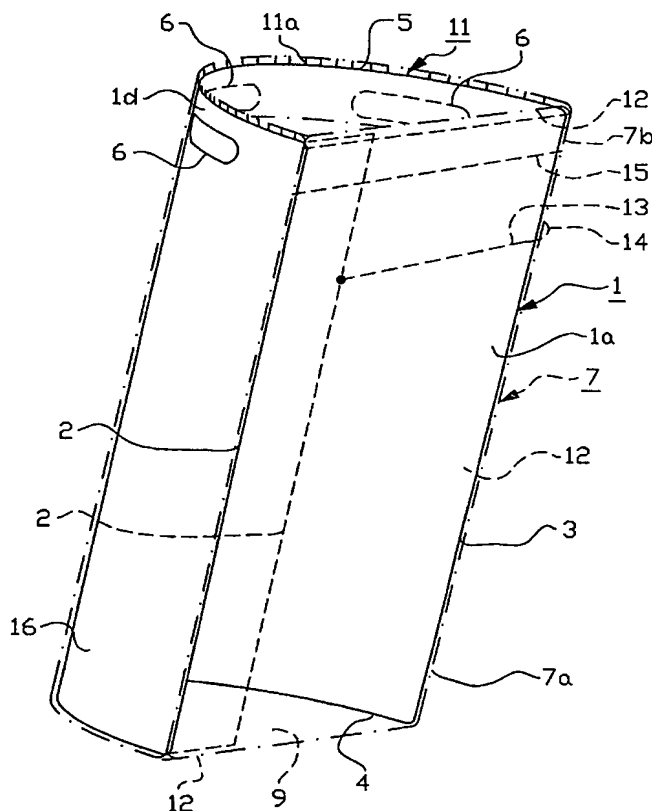
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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to a  
screen for holding refuse sacks (7) open. The screen  
(1) is shorter than the refuse sack (7) such that open  
parts (7b) of the refuse sack (7) can be folded into the  
screen (1). The screen (1) is designed to stretch the  
refuse sack (7). A locking device (11) is provided to  
lock the open parts (7b) of the refuse sack (7) and the  
screen (1) to each other.



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